CITY OF MUSKEGON MUSKEGON HOUSING BOARD OF APPEALS MEETING MINUTES 10/01/09 5:30PM

ATTENDANCE: Randy Mackie, Ed Simmons, Greg Borgman, Chris Carter

ABSENT: Nick Kroes

EXCUSED: Jon Rolewicz, Kirk Kolberg

STAFF: Carmen Smith, Henry Faltinowski, Don LaBrenz, Anthony

Kleibecker,

GUESTS: Sandra Briseno/Amando Perez(1866 Valley (Garage), Sandra

Moore (742 Apple)

Meeting minutes: A motion was made by Randy Mackie and seconded by Ed Simmons to approve the August 2009 minutes.

A roll call vote was taken:

AYES: <u>NAYES: EXCUSED: ABSENT: ABSTENTION:</u>

Greg Borgman

Randy Mackie

Jon Rolewicz

Nick Kroes

Chris Carter Ed Simmons

Kirk Kolberg

Motion carried.

DANGEROUS BUILDING NEW CASES

EN-090196 – 1866 Valley (Garage) – Armando G./Salgado S. Perez, 1866 Valley St., Muskegon, MI 49442

Amando Perez and Sandra Briseno(interpreter) were present to represent the case.

Greg Borgman stated that it looks like some serious stuff wrong with the structure, he then asked what the owner's plans were for the building. Mr. Perez said he wants to fix it. Greg Borgman asked if he had gotten any estimates. Mr. Perez stated that he had gotten a verbal estimate of \$800.00 and Mr. Borgman suggested he get written estimates. Don LaBrenz stated the whole roof has rotted away which would require most of the top to be replaced so would question a bid of \$800 to repair. Greg Borgman asked for staff input. Don LaBrenz said there had not been any dialogue with owner regarding building before this meeting. Greg Borgman explained staff recommendation and made suggestion that owner consider building new structure instead of repairing old. Henry Faltinowski stated that owner could demolish himself. Chris Carter suggested owner demolish himself to save money and then wait to rebuild when finances allowed him to do so.

Staff Recommendation: Declare building substandard, a public nuisance, and dangerous building.

Motion made by Randy Mackie to accept staff recommendation Chris Carter seconded the motion.

A roll call vote was taken:

AYES: NAYES: EXCUSED: ABSENT: ABSTENTION:

Greg Borgman

Randy Mackie

Jon Rolewicz

Nick Kroes

Chris Carter Ed Simmons

Kirk Kolberg

Motion carried.

<u>EN-090204 – 742 E. Apple Ave – Moore Investment Properties, P.O. Box 5377,</u> Muskegon, MI 49445

Sandra Moore was present to represent case.

Ms Moore stated interior inspection was conducted 09/30/09. Greg Borgman asked if property was going to be rental? Ms Moore answered yes. Don LaBrenz asked if contractors had been lined up yet? Ms Moore stated she plans to replace all windows but had not gotten estimates due to just receiving the inspection report.

Staff Recommendation: Table for 90 days

Motion made by Randy Mackie to accept staff recommendation and Chris Carter seconded motion.

A roll call vote was taken:

AYES: <u>NAYES: EXCUSED: ABSENT: ABSTENTION:</u>

Greg Borgman

Randy Mackie

Jon Rolewicz

Nick Kroes

Chris Carter Ed Simmons

Kirk Kolberg

Motion carried.

EN-090203- 558 E. Apple Ave., - Bauer Property Management LLC, 1396 Pine St., Muskegon, MI 49442

No one was present to represent case.

Staff Recommendation: Declare building substandard, a public nuisance, and dangerous building.

Motion made by Randy Mackie to accept staff recommendation and seconded by Ed Simmons.

A roll call vote was taken:

AYES: <u>NAYES: EXCUSED: ABSENT: ABSTENTION:</u>

Greg Borgman Randy Mackie

Jon Rolewicz

Nick Kroes

Chris Carter Ed Simmons

Kirk Kolberg

Motion carried.

<u>EN-090047 – 1584 5th – Terees L. Williams, 288 E. Isabella Ave., Muskegon, MI</u> 49442

No one present to represent case.

Don LaBrenz stated owner could not be present but a letter was submitted to board to review from the owner.

Staff Recommendation: Table for 90 days

Motion made by Ed Simmons to accept staff recommendation and seconded by Randy Mackie.

OLD BUSINESS:

NEW BUSINESS:

ADJOURNMENT: 5:50 PM

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